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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)
(Small Entity)

Docket No.

P07 43084 (18810-80389)

In Re Application Of: **Henry C. Lin**

Serial No. **DEC 26 2001**
09/420,046

Filing Date

October 18, 1999

Examiner

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Invention: **Methods and Compositions for Improving Digestion and Absorption in the Small Intestine**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of **08/27/01** in the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

One month Two months Three months Four months Five months

from: **September 27, 2001**
Date

until: **December 27, 2001**
Date

A verified statement of small entity status as a small entity under 37 CFR 1.27:

is enclosed.
 has already been filed in this application.

The fee for the extension of time is **\$460** and is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **50-1597**
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-1597** A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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